

I formerly managed a group of engineers and techs who qualified computing equipment to insure that the equipment met the requirements of FCC regulations. In many cases passing these standards was difficult and time consuming (time was money) but we did not allow any device or system to become qualified without rigorously passing the FCC requirements. The use of BPL technology seems to subvert the good work that we and many others accomplished in making industry equipment "good citizens" in the shared use of RF spectrum. The spectrum of BPL transmissions augmented by the fact that the power line is itself an effective antenna creates RF pollution to the detriment of the many users of HF spectrum. Please do not allow this technology to proceed.